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GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos. 1—5

Part B for July 1925

SUBJECT

~~Regulations~~
Revision of Land Grant, Diara & Other Regulations of the Mug Dept

To the Deputy Secretary
No 21/Mug 173-24-5 dt 8.7.25
Regrets has to submit proposals
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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Muzrai.)

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File No. 173

FILE HEADING.

Revision of Cash grant, Dasara Land Inam Registers of the Muzrai Dept.

From

No.	Dated	Received

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

This Note is Subj. under the personal order of the Revd Member

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with the Auditors on the subject, and that after the transfer of Mr. Ramamurthyan as Dy Comr and of Mr. A. Muthuswamy Iyer as Murasai Under Secy, the Sultan as office Asst of the Murasoli work up the work; but could not attend to it.

2 Reference is solicited to Mys Nos. 58 of 09 and 174-11 (records handed over to the special duty Officer) for discussions on the subject.

3 The following are the Registers that require revision:—

(1) Cash grant Register.
Rent of ready money grants enjoyed by Institutions of all denominations, as also personal grants. This is corrected up to 30.4.25

(2) Quit rent Register & Register of Landholders
There is a register for each Taluk. a sample copy — Bangalore Taluk — is put up for perusal. This is corrected up to 31.12.02

(3) Malabad Cash grant Regr.
Sample copies put up.

4 Other printed lists like Ready money grants & Inam Boundaries, (Which the Inam has passed in con with to be kept up

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& Travelling allowances, Khasi allowances &c are all Schedule Rules 1 & 2.

5. These Rules are very simple and easily understood. Village & Taluka Officers from Talukdars down to the Assistants & Sowkars & Peons are all required to take the Rules & Instructions to Heart as early as possible. If required the Deputy Commissioner may be asked to take up the work of Revision at once; and if in spite of the magnitude of the work, a special Sub is considered necessary he may be asked to submit suitable proposals to appoint & the same, the special Sub working under the supervision of an Experienced Officer of the Main Cadre Staff.

This may be done

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30/12/24 — 10.12.24.

Rec'd Secy 16/11/24

12.12.24.

6. The Rules are very simple and easily understood.

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7. Draft letter to the Mag Constr
to Inspr appd
RL
19.12.24

RL 19.12.24.

Rec. Insp. & Appr
RL
20/12/24

RL 20.12.24.

1 To the Mungrai Comm^r. No. 9389 d. 22.12.24.
States that certain printed Mungrai Registers which were published many years ago
require considerable revision, and requests
him to arrange for this work of revision
being taken up at once & to submit pro-
posals before the end of Feby 1925.

10. Draft letter to the Mag Cons^r enquiring
what action if any has been taken
on the matter in pursuance of appd
RL
4/3/25 11. June
RL 5.3.25

Re No. 1910 d. 11.3.24.

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From the Mng Cmr. 2°-C.761/2625 & 22d. march 1925 states that the version is very rec? and that he agrees with the Imam Supt in considering that the work may be entrusted to the Imam dept. That the help req? from his office & the subordinate Mng dept will be rendered &c.

12. The copy of letter rec? from the Imam Supt. details the register to be brought up to date and the staff req? for the work. He says that after the pending settlements are over, a fairly large no. of hands will be set free who may be put on this work, seeing that Govt will have to consider the question of providing for the men thrown out of employment from the Survey dept.

13. The proposal of the Imam Supt which is supported by the Mng Cmr may be approved. It may the Mng Cmr be upheld that Govt agree with his opinion & that a Circular may be taken

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According with a view to this work being done as early as possible.

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1 Secy 14. I agree

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31.3.25

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15 Reply to the Dewan can be sent accordingly.

16. The Dewan should be asked to have the work taken in hand early next season & progress made with it this & Devi rest

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18. Issue

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3 To the Mang. Travancore. No. 1473 d. 8.4.25.

I take that I quite agree with him & his opinion that the work may be entrusted to the Dewan Bahadur suggests that early action may be taken accordingly with a view to the early

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being done as early as possible.

To the Suprdt. Rev. Survey & Settlements in Mysore.
No. 1474 dt. 8.6.25. Forwarding copy of the above with
reference to his letter to the Mazrai Commr. requesting
that the work may be taken on hand early & the
progress made reported by the end of each month.

4 From the Suprdt. Rev. Survey and Settlements in Mysore.
Letter No. 133 of 30-5-25.

States that the revision of Mazrai Registers, as thought of by the Mazrai Commr, is a very elaborate work, that the main Deptt has neither the data nor the staff at present to undertake a work of such large dimensions; that the revision of not only Mazrai registers but registers of all inams is very necessary, and that he would submit proposals, if so directed, for a thorough and satisfactory revision of all the registers in general, so as to make them correct, up-todate and easy of reference.

19. The proposal made in this office, as will be seen from St. nos, was to the revision of Quit-rent, cash grant, Mahrad cash grant and other printed Mazrai Registers. The Sur: Suprdt at first proposed to put on this work the [illegible]

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that would be set free from the Akarband settlement etc branches in the coming years.

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20. The nature of revision of the Muzrai registers, as detailed in the Muz: comr's letter dd 15/16th April 25, (enclo: to Sur: Supdt's letter) does not appear to be different or more elaborate than what was originally contemplated by Govt.

21. The suggestion of the Sur: Supdt to revise all the inam registers in general in addition to the Muz: Registers, will, no doubt, add to the work originally proposed.

This is not what was originally contemplated nor does the Sur: Genl recommend it. The Supdt Sur: seems to have misread the Muz: comr's letter (copy enclosed).

22 If Govt approve of the suggestions made by the Sur: Supdt, he ~~proposes~~ states that he would submit proposals in due course for a thorough and satisfactory revision of all the registers in general, so as to make them correct, up-to-date and easy of reference.

23. Submitted for orders

dd 25/6/25 A fairly large establishment will be required for doing this work and that for a couple of years or so. The cost will be large also and after getting the Inam Supdt's proposals, the matter may be considered. In the meantime, the Inam Supdt may, if approved, be asked

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to study the question carefully and to submit suitable proposals for revising the regulations &c. as may be possible.

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9.6.25

24. The Revenue Com's proposals are quite sound. Although it requires a fairly large staff & labour for a year or two, the work done would be of immense use.

25. If proposed by the Survey Supdt, the work may be taken up next year after the Resettlement preparations are over.

26. Meanwhile he may send up his proposals for the establishment required & the expenditure that would be involved for Consideration

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29. Drafts sent up, as per orders -

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30. The Supdt, Govt Survey, Hebbal, Memo No 21 & 8 7 25.

Calls for tenders to be received before the end of Sept next

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Date of issue 22 : 12 24

To The Muzrai Dept

Signed by [illegible]

for

I am directed to state that the Government regret the above grant register & the Muzrai Code & Grant register & that the granted Muzrai registers ~~are all to be~~ were all published many years ago and are now not procurable

over.

and a list in view
of changes of villages
& Talukas, ~~and fresh~~
~~transfers~~ Cancellations
of leases & cash grants in
certain cases & ~~the fresh~~ sanctions
~~grant~~ of fresh grants in certain cases
the Registrar requires considerable
revision. ~~at the Earliest date~~.
I am directed to request
that you will be good
enough to arrange for this
work of revision being
taken up at once and to let
me have the magnitude
of the work you consider
may special establishment
necessary for the purpose,
& submit proposals,
for the same for the
Govt of India.

and proposals submitted by the end of Feb 1925—

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I am directed to request that

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(*Continuation Sheet draft form*)

That the Muster may be limited as regards ~~the~~ the Troops as ~~of~~ Sea Service, ~~the~~ for the Expedition, Completion of the Works, not later than the ~~15~~ 19 January 1795.

2. A Pay & Commissariat Troops recruited from the Special Duty Africa Division this Garrison have been pending ~~on~~ to recruit transmitted for Disposal.

Thanks &c

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Mordaunt

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19.1.95

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OFFICE OF THE REVENUE & Muzrai COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE.

No. C 761/m-25 one file

Camp Hassan,
Bungalow, ..22nd .March.....192 5

FROM

C.S. Balasundaram Iyer Esq., B.A.,
~~Revenue~~ & Muzrai COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.

GEN. & REV. SECTION
26MAR1925
MYSORE

D.No. 1546.
May 173-24-2

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF
HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE
.....Revenue..... DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No 830/R.F.173-24-1 dated 22-12-1924 regarding the revision of the quit-rent and other registers, I have the honor to state that the Superintendent, Revenue Survey (also Inam Superintendent), the Comptroller and the Deputy Commissioners were consulted in the matter. All are of opinion that the revision and publication of the registers are very necessary considering the time that has elapsed since the date of the last publication and the several changes that have taken place since then.

2. The Inam Superintendent, while stating that the registers require a thorough revision, suggests the modus operandi and thinks that the large number of hands set free in the coming years from the Akarband, Settlement etc. branches may best be put on this work instead of employing a Special staff now (vide copy of letter enclosed).

3. I agree with the Inam Superintendent and beg to recommend that the revision of the registers may be entrusted to the Inam Department The help required from this office and the subordinate offices in the Muzrai Department will be rendered on the requisition of the Inam Superintendent.

4. The enclosures to your letter under reply are resubmitted.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

C S Balasundaram

Muzrai Commissioner.

M.B.R.

Letter No. 102 dated 6/7th February 1925 from the Superintendent, Revenue Survey and Settlements in Mysore, to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

With reference to your letter No. C.761/24-25 dated 28th January 1925 forwarding for my ~~remks~~ views an extract from the Revenue Secretary's letter in the matter of the revision of Quit-rent etc., registers, I have the honor to state that as considerable changes have been effected since their publication, I agree that the registers require a thorough revision.

2. The following are my suggestions as regards the several items:-

(1) Quit-rent registers of land Inams.

In revising these, it is desirable to include details as ascertained at revision survey and settlement in addition to the existing information. Details of lands enjoyed at present as Inam should be obtained from the Taluks and Talukwar registers prepared. They may then be compared with the Inam registers, the Excess Tharav Patrikas and the Village Settlement accounts before being passed for print.

(2) Cash-grant and Malnad Cash-grant registers.

Talukwar lists of grants in force should be prepared on the basis of Treasury accounts, compared with the Inam settlement register and then passed for print.

(3) The agency of or staff for the work in question.

It is seen that most of the registers are common to both Muzrai and Inam Departments and the registers of the latter are the basis for the former's. I am therefore of opinion that the work may be done in the Inam Department to begin with, if indeed both the sets of registers cannot be combined together, as convenience demands that they well might be. After the pending heavy

resettlements are over, a fairly large number of hands will be set free in the coming years from the Akarband, Settlement, etc., Branches, and I think it is best to put them on this work instead of employing a special staff now, seeing that, later on, the Government will have to consider the question of providing employment for the men thrown out of work from the Survey Department.

" C o p y "

Muzrai Commissioner.

M.B.R.

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No. 1473
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To The Inuzzai Agency

Date of issue 8-4-25

Signed by for I-R

Sir,

According to your letter no C 761 Dt 22-3-1925 informing that the Revision and publication of the Anti-rent, Malana Cash-grant, and Three Inuzzai Regulations are very necessary considering the time that has elapsed and the several changes that have taken place since the last publication, and recommending that the revision may be undertk.

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to the Irrn Deptt, the
help required from the Irrgn
Deptt being rendered on
requisition, I am directed
to state that Govt agree
with your opinion and to
request that necessary action
may be taken accordingly
with a view to the work being
done as early as possible.
(2) The records are returned.

I have etc.

Sd/- Rev Secretary.

24/4/25

Copy to the Supdt, Irrgn & 8.4.25
Rev. Survey and Settlement
in reference with ref. to
his letter no. 1028 dt 7-2-25
& the Irrg-Comr with a
report that the work
may be taken on hand
early and the progress
made ~~with it~~ reported, by the
end of June next. O.O.

u.o. Sd/- Rev Secretary

that the work may be undertaken by the Irrgn deptt

GEN. & REV. SECRETARIAT. 4-JUN1925 MUZRA

No. 133.
Enclosures Two.

Office of the Superintendent,
Mysore Revenue Survey,
Dated, ~~Bangalore~~ Mysore 30th May 1925.

Muz/73-24-4

From

D. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., B.A.,

Superintendent, Revenue Survey & Settlements in Mysore.

To

K. V. Ananteraman, Esq., B.A.,

Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Revenue Department.

Sir,

With reference to your Memo No.1474, dated 8-4-1925 re the revision of Muzrai registers, I have the honor to enclose for your information a copy of the Muzrai Commissioner's latest Communication to me on the same subject.

2. He points out therein some of the important points in which the Muzrai registers are at present defective and has sketched out certain lines along which the work of revision is to be done. I beg to point out that the work as now detailed by him seems to go far beyond the scope of what I proposed or contemplated in my first letter to him.

3. He desires me, for example, to prepare an exhaustive list of "all the Inams belonging to a Muzrai institution even though they are situated in different taluks". Presumably, the word "Inam" includes both land and cash grants. It will be kindly seen how this one item alone would require (a) an elaborate and exhaustive search amongst the Jurt-rent, cash grant and Malnad cash grant registers; (b) calling for up-to-date information from all the taluks and their compilation; (c) a comparison of (a) with (b) and further necessary correspondence; and (d) then a final compilation, rearranging the above information thus verified, according to the present day grouping of Taluks, including therein the details according to resurvey and resettlement.

4. Similarly, there is no information of any sort in the Inam Department regarding the particulars of lands given in exchange for those brought under submersion, etc, e.g. by the construction of Krishnaraja Sagara. The obtaining of this information would also entail a considerable amount of prolonged correspondence with the taluk authorities, repeated reminders, etc.

5. I feel constrained to point out that the Inam Department has neither the data nor the staff at present to undertake a work of such large dimensions. What I originally suggested was that, after the pending resettlements were over, the hands that would be set free from the Akarband, settlement, etc. branches in the coming years, might be employed on this work, instead of entertaining a special Establishment for the purpose as proposed at first by the Muzrai Commissioner. (Vide extract from my letter No.102 dated 7-2-25 to the Muzrai Commissioner attached hereto). The experience of this Department, in the Settlement and other branches, has been that Taluk Officers are neither prompt, correct, nor full in complying with requisitions for information. I am in the circumstances very pessimistic about any substantial progress being possible before the end of December next, as stated in your memo. The staff in the Inam Branch is now much attenuated from what it was and it will be necessary to strengthen the same both in point of allowances and of numbers, in order that all the Talukes may be written to, reminders sent periodically and other clerical work attended to properly and promptly.

6. There is one point of some importance on which perhaps I should lay stress. The Government order now received apparently refers only to the revision of Muzrai Registers. A revision of the general registers is, however, desirable as a good deal of change has taken place in the case of all Inams and not merely Devadaya.

For example, our registers are now a tangled mess and it takes not a little time and labour to look up the commonest information for which I get frequent requisitions from the Government, the Muzrai Commissioner, the Revenue Commissioner or Deputy Commissioners and from the general public. The villages are not numbered or arranged according to

any plan. Old village names since abolished or changed still persist in the pages of our registers. Their rearrangement according to present-day District, Taluk and hobli limits is urgently called for. Information as to resumptions, resignations, acquisitions etc. of Inam lands are not noted in a great many cases. Details of resurvey and resettlement, too, remain to be incorporated.

I cannot disguise either from myself or from the Government that all such work, implying a general and thorough revision, will be of vast dimensions and will require considerable clerical labour spread over some years. But the gain and advantages to be secured thereby would be immense and lasting and I am convinced that the work is eminently worth doing. It is also necessary to examine closely whether and, if so, how the cost of such work can be charged to the Inamdars and mazrai institutions, to whose benefit it will redound.

7. If these views commend themselves to Government, I would suggest that the work may be taken up after the next official year as proposed already. In the meantime, I will, if so directed, make a careful study of the whole question and try to submit proposals in due course for a thorough and satisfactory revision of all the registers in general, so as to make them correct, up-to-date and easy of reference.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

D. [illegible]

Superintendent.

4-1-1915

LSR.

Letter No.C.761/24-25, dated 15th/16th April 1925, from the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore, to the Superintendent of Inam Settlements in Mysore, Bangalore.

With reference to your letter No.102 dated 7th February 1925 furnishing your opinion in the matter of the revision of cash grant Quit-rent and other registers, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of letter No.1473/M.F.173-24-3 dated 8th April 1925 from the Revenue Secretary to Government directing that the work be entrusted to the Inam Department and to request that arrangements may kindly be made to start the work as early as possible.

2. The Quit-rent registers as now compiled and printed by the Muzrai Department are defective in as much as (i) they do not include whole inam villages endowed to religious and charitable institutions, (ii) they do not include inam grants in which there has been a combination of different tenures (ಬಂಧುತ್ವ) i.e., Devadaya, Dharmadaya etc., (iii) they do not give at one place all the inams belonging to an institution even though such inams are situated in different Talukas and (iv) they do not give the particulars of lands given in exchange for those brought under submersion etc.,

I request that in making the new compilations these defects may be kept in view and remedied as far as possible. It may be desirable to have 2 compilations, one arranged according to locality and another according to institutions.

3. The Deputy Commissioners of Districts have been requested to comply promptly with requisitions sent from your office in respect of this work.

4. A file of kannada papers received with the Revenue Secretary's letter is also sent.

"Copy"

For Superintendent

Extract of letter No.102, dated 7-2-1925, from the Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

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The agency or staff for the work in question.

It is seen that most of the registers are common to both Muzrai and Inam Departments and the registers of the latter are the basis for the former's. I am therefore of opinion that the work may be done in the Inam Department to begin with, if, indeed, both the sets of registers cannot be combined together, as convenience demands that they well might be. After the pending heavy resettlements are over, a fairly large number of hands will be set free in the coming years from the Marband, Settlement, etc., Branches and I think it is best to put them on this work instead of employing a special staff now, seeing that, later on, the Government will have to consider the question of providing employment for the men thrown out of work from the Survey Department.

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for Superintendent. 16/2/25

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No. 2.1

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To The Supdt. Rev: Survey and Settlements in Mysore

Sir,

Date of issue

Signed by

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter no. 133 dt 30-5-25 re the revision of Mugrai Registers, I am directed to request you to submit early before the end of Septr. next, for consideration of Govt., proposals for a thorough and satisfactory revision of all the registers in general, as promised in the last para of your letter under reference.

I have etc

Secretary

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8d 30.5.25

Rev: Dept.

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Copy of the above is forwarded with Compliments to the Hon'ble Commr in Mysore for info in cont[n] of this Office letter No 1473/Mun 173-24-3 of 8-4-25.

S.O.

Revenue Agent
Sd
30/6/25